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1. The 23rd Infantry Regiment "Hviezdoslav", Army Unit No. 1103, formerly known as the "American Slovaks" Regiment, is located at Nyrsko (Neuern - N50/U99), but two companies of the regiment are located at Bystrice nad Uhlabou (Bistritz - N50/U99). Col. Jan Cordas, a Slovak, is the Commanding Officer.
2. Two ammunition dumps are located in the area around Nyrsko:
 - a. Na Vidlarne, in the center of town near the railway station.
 - b. A large quantity of ammunition is stored in a woods about 7 km. from Nyrsko.
3. A Signal School, Army Unit No. 9999, is located at Zabreh na Morave (P50/W58), where it was transferred in September 1949 from Lipnik nad Beovou (P50/O14). The school is composed of a Headquarters and Headquarters Company with 45 men, and a School Company with a Telephone Maintenance and a Radio Maintenance Platoon. Commanding Officer of the school is Staff Capt. Frantisek Sperlich, a Czech, age 53, and a Communist.

Attachments: Sketch of ammunition dump near Nyrsko.

Key to Attachment

This ammunition dump is located southwest of Klatovy. It is surrounded by a barbed-wire fence. The road from Bystrice nad Uhlavou turns and crosses Stary Lazov; it then runs into the woods called "Na Porovnaní" in which the ammunition dump is located.

1. Pillar box having dimensions of about 2 x 2 m.
2. Pillar box measuring 2 x 2 m. aboveground but of greater size underground.
3. Guardhouse, situated near the entrance of the dump.
4. Wooden building, about 25 x 10 m., and 7 m. high.

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